

NEWSLETTER WC 4TH MAY

Friday, 08/05/2026
15:00

To Prime Parents of: [+](#)

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Westmoor Primary School

Truth Opportunity Celebration

Diary Dates

11/05/2026 - SAT
week Year 6 Monday to
Thursday

22/05/2026 -
Break up half term

01/06/2026 -
Return to school

09/06/2026 - 9am
Connect behaviour and
regulation workshop
for parents & carers

10/06/2026 -

OPAL

Since the start of the calendar year, we have been rejuvenating and reinvigorating our OPAL practise. OPAL continues to be a great success in our school – more and more children are loving being outside, no matter what the weather.

Whether it is playing with tyres and crates in the den building zone, digging in the sand pit, enjoying imaginative play in the small world area or playing a variety of sporting activities, OPAL is offering a creative and exciting alternative to the regular activities on the yard. Through this kind of play not only are children more active at lunchtime they are also having the opportunity to further develop life skills such as cooperation, teamwork and problem solving. They are becoming motivated and enthusiastic builders, engineers, explorers and designers.

London visit Year 6
until 12.06.26

15/06/2026 -

Robinwood Year 5
return 17.06.26

19/06/2026 - Vision
tests Reception

25/06/2026 -

Reception trip to
Aquarium

30/06/2026 - OPAL
stay and play
afternoon 1.30pm start

02/07/2026 - Year 1
and 2 trip to Centre for
Life

03/07/2026 - Year 3
and 4 trip to Beamish

08/07/2026 - Year 6
Leavers Show PM and
pizza to follow

09/11/2026 - End of
Year reports

10/07/2026 -

Sports Day 2pm start

13/07/2026 - New
class transition
morning

17/07/2026 - Break
up

Further Dates

Please note that the
above is not an
exhaustive list of dates
and further dates will
follow. Detail on above
mentioned events will

Thank you for your continued support with:-

- Sending your child into school with appropriate warm/waterproof clothing and wellies
 - Donating to school small world creatures, cars, pots and pans etc. for the creative play
 - Supporting the OPAL ethos by asking your child about their play and accepting that they may get dirty... Some parents have been sending in spare clothes with their child for lunchtimes – please feel free to do this.
- You can still help us more by donating any unwanted materials you have at home such as:-
- Plastic or metal buckets
 - Kitchen utensils, pots, pans, baking trays, sieves, colanders etc for the mud kitchen
 - Watering cans, wheel barrows, guttering
 - Large pieces of fabric
 - Toy trucks, diggers, cars
 - Small world creatures e.g. dinosaurs, farm animals etc.

Thank you for your continued support

Year 6 SATs

Good Luck

At this point in the year, you may see poems or messages reminding children that SATs are not “the be all and end all” — and we wholeheartedly agree. Your children have been carefully prepared for these national tests, and SATs simply offer them a chance to shine and to show just how far they have come. While academic achievement matters, it is only one small part of the much bigger picture. We know — and celebrate — the fact that every child is so much more than a test result. Each of them brings unique strengths, talents and qualities that cannot be measured on paper. Kindness, compassion and love do not appear on data sheets, yet they shape lives and leave lasting impressions. It is often these qualities that allow one person to become truly important in the world of another.

On the wall in the Head Teacher’s office is a hand-painted picture inspired by a Charlie Mackesy book - The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse. It asks, “What do you want to be when you grow up?” The reply is simple and powerful: “Kind.”

follow in future newsletters. We will have a Grandparents' Singalong to add along with a date for photographs.

As we head into SATs week, this feels like a message worth holding on to. We are incredibly proud of our children — not just for what they achieve academically, but for the thoughtful, caring and wonderful young people they are becoming.



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